

The Cromwell Museum, Huntingdon

Visual Story

The Museum is located on Huntingdon's high street. The entrance is at the back of the building.





This is the entrance to the Museum, which is flat level access.





In the entrance way, there are posters on the lefthand wall with information about events in the museum and in the local area.



Below this, there are leaflets. These are all free for you to take away with you.



When you enter the museum, a staff member will greet you. They may ask if you have visited the museum before, and where you have travelled from.



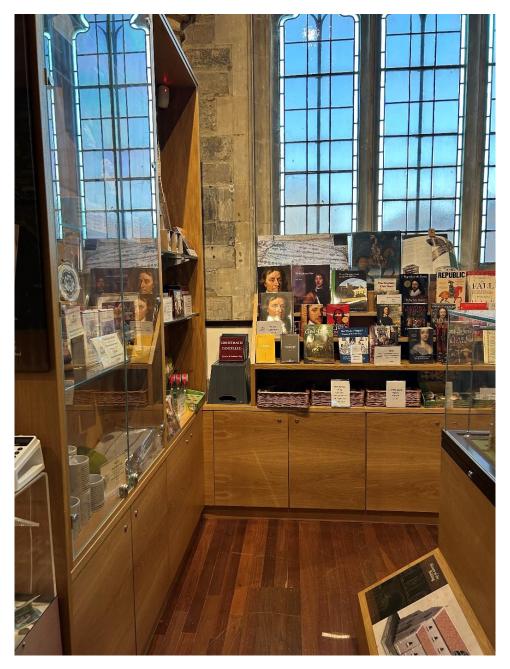


This is the reception desk. Staff members who are sitting here can answer any questions you have. Museum staff wear a dark blue lanyard.





To the left of the reception desk is the shop. Some items are behind glass doors; ask a staff member to open them for you.



Take anything you would like to buy to the reception desk where a staff member will take your money and give you a receipt.



There is seating throughout the Museum.





To the left of the reception desk are displays about the history of the Museum building, Oliver Cromwell's childhood and the civil war.





To the right of the reception desk are displays about Cromwell's later life, the end of the monarchy, and the restoration of the monarchy.



There is usually a temporary exhibition in this space, like this one on Cromwell's Head. It changes every 6 months.



Some of the objects and paintings are not behind glass. Please do not touch them so they can stay safe.





This box contains replica clothing and armour for adults and children to try on. You can also try holding the replica musket and pike!



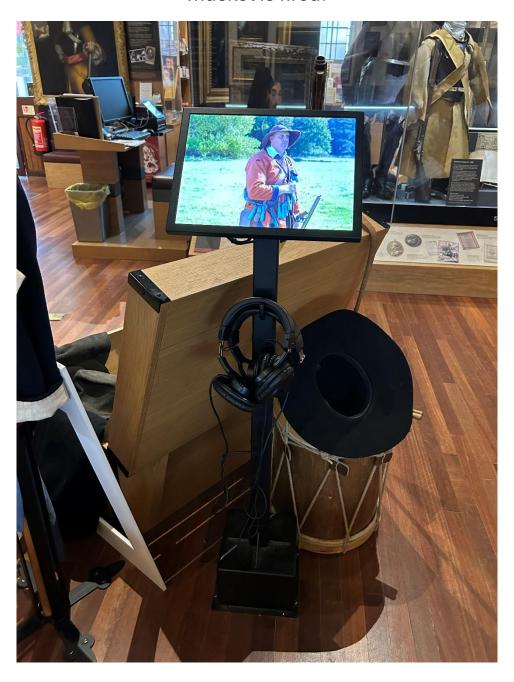


There is a drum which you can play; it can make loud banging and tapping sounds. As the Museum is a small one room space, it can be heard wherever you are in the building.





This video shows how a civil war soldier loads and fires a musket. You can use the headphones to listen to the sound. There is some loud shouting during the video, and a loud 'bang!' when the musket is fired.





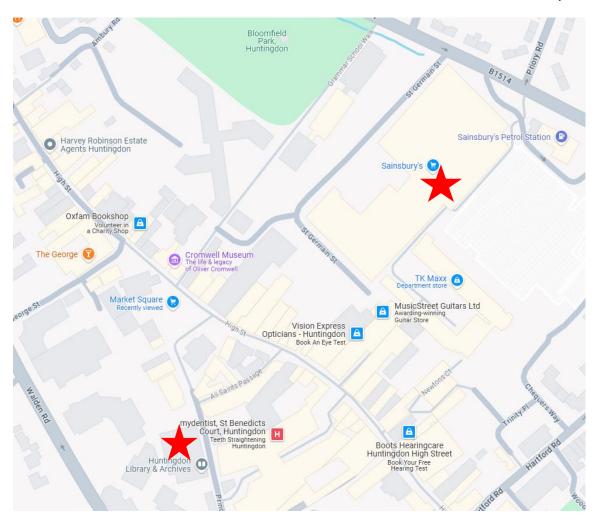
When you are ready to leave the Museum, exit through the same door you entered.



Thank you for visiting the Museum!



There are no toilets in the Museum. The nearest public and accessible toilets are where the red stars are on the map.



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